## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

## THE TRIAL COURT

## UNIFORM SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR THE TRIAL COURT AS PROVIDED FOR BY MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS CHAPTER 262, § 4B Revised June 2003

**Effective July 1, 2003**, the following fees, determined by the Chief Administrative Justice of the Trial Court pursuant to G.L. c. 262, § 4B, shall be charged in all Trial Court Departments:

- 1. For certificate of orders, decrees, rulings, judgments or other proceedings, twenty (20) dollars.
- 2. For an attested copy of court documents, records, including docket sheets, or other papers in possession and under the control of the clerk, register, or recorder, two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents per page.
- 3. For an unattested copy of court documents, records, or other papers in possession and under the control of the clerk, register, or recorder, one (1) dollar per page.
- 4. For a blank summons other than any summons in a small claims action or incident to a petition for victim compensation, or blank writ, except a writ of habeas corpus, five (5) dollars.
- 5. For a blank subpoena for one or more witnesses, five (5) dollars.
- 6. For a writ of habeas corpus, fifteen (15) dollars.
- 7. In the District, Probate and Family, and Boston Municipal Court Departments, for each order of notice, citation, or precept, fifteen (15) dollars.
- 8. For a transcript of judgment, fifty (50) dollars.
- 9. For recording of notarial commission, fifteen (15) dollars, and for certification of a notarized document to be used in another state or a foreign country, five (5) dollars.
- 10. For taking and recording a recognizance under chapter 256, twenty (20) dollars.
- 11. For approving or disapproving by the court of sureties on bonds or recognizances, but not for the approval of appeal or removal bonds filed in small claims or other civil actions, twenty (20) dollars.
- 12. For tape cassette recordings of proceedings in all Departments of the Trial Court, fifty (50) dollars and fifty (50) cents plus postage per ninety (90) minutes of recording or part thereof.
- 13. For commissions to take depositions, twenty (20) dollars.
- 14. For waivers of notice of marriage, fifty (50) dollars.
- 15. For affidavit of creditor under chapter 224, section 6, twenty-five (25) dollars.
- 16. For notice to creditor of debtor's desire for examination under chapter 224, section 6, twenty (20) dollars.